

## **Baker Family Papers**

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1859-1864, 1961

1 folder

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### **Biographical Note:**

Francis C. Baker, also known as F.C. Baker, was born in New York in 1838. He relocated to Greene County, Indiana some time before 1850. F.C. Baker fought for the 59th Indiana Infantry, Company E, enlisting as a corporal on December 13, 1861. By the time of his discharge, July 17, 1865, he had been promoted to the rank of sergeant. He married Sarah Price on January 11, 1866 in Greene County, Indiana. Francis and Sarah Baker earned their living by farming. The Bakers had a grandson named Harry, born in 1893, whose papers comprise a portion of this collection. Harry Baker was a grocer in Worthington Township in Greene County, Indiana. Baker was active in the Indiana Roadside Council, serving as the Landscape Supervisor for the Crawfordsville District.

#### *Source:*

Ancestry Library. 1850 United States Census. 13 October 2005 <<http://search.ancestrylibrary.com>>.

### **Scope and Content Note:**

This collection includes correspondence between Sarah (Price) Baker and Frances C. Baker during the Civil War, F.C. Baker's travel and war journals, and some of Henry Baker's papers on the Indiana Roadside Council.

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### **Folder Listing:**

#### Folder

1. Correspondence, travel and war journals, and other materials, 1859-1864, 1961
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**Collection Information:**

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